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SUBJECT: EARLY WARNING: MACHINERY AND TECHNOLOGY FOR PLANT
TO PRODUCE CHLORINE AND SODIUM HYDROXIDE

1. BOLIVIAN MILITARY COMPANY FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, COFADENA, INTENDS TO BUILD A PLANT IN ORURO, BOLIVIA TO MAKE CHLORINE AND SODIUM HYDROXIDE. PLANT WILL PRODUCE ANNUALLY 10,000 M.T. CHLORINE AND 10,000 M.T. SODIUM HYDROXIDE. PROCESS IS ELECTROLYTIC USING MERCURY CELLS. SOURCE OF FINANCING NOT DEFINITE BUT MAY BE AVAILABLE FROM ANDEAN DEVELOPMENT COPORATION. SALT WILL BE MINED FROM NEARBY SALT LAKES OF UYUNI AND COIPAZA.

2. COFADENA WILL MAKE A SHORT LIST FROM ALL FIRMS WHO INDICATE AN INTEREST IN FURNISHING MACHINERY FOR ABOVE PLANT. SELECTED FIRMS WILL BE SENT INVITATION TO BID. INTERESTED FIRMS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND ASAP BROCHURES AND COMPANY INFORMATION TO: GRAL. PAUL DE PALACIOS, GERENTE GENERAL, COFADENA, AVENIDA 6 DE AGOSTO 2649, LA PAZ, BOLIVIA.

3. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT COFADENA, MINERALS ATTACHE, JOHN H. CURRY OR COMMERCIAL ATTACHE ED ROJAS AT AMEMBASSY LA PAZ, APO NEW YORK 09867.
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